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SUBJECT: ENDANGERED SPECIES CONFERENCE, GENEVA, OCT. 17-24-
INSTRUCTIONS ON POSSIBLE UK SMALL CETACEAN PROPOSALS

1. REQUEST MISSION PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING TO KEITH SCHREINER
OR TERRY WOLKERSDORFER (INTERIOR) OF US DELEGATION TO
ENDANGERED SPECIES CONVENTION SPECIAL WORKING SESSION AT
WHO:

2. FOLLOWING ARE INSTRUCTIONS RE SPECIES PROPOSED BY UK
FOR LISTING ON APPENDIX II:

A) INIA GOEFFRENSIS (AMAZON OR GEOFFREY'S DOLPHIN) --
US SHOULD NOT SUPPORT UNLESS THERE IS STRONG EVIDENCE.
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THESE ANIMALS ARE IN LIVE-TRADE TO EUROPE TO A MINOR EXTENT.

B) LAPOTES VEXILLIFER (WHITE FLAG OR CHINESE DOLPHIN) --
US SHOULD SUPPORT ADDITION OF THIS SPECIES TO APPENDIX I,
NOT II. THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE OF THE INTERNATIONAL
WHALING COMMISSION (IWC) IN JUNE 1977 RECOMMENDED THAT
THIS SPECIES BE ADDED TO APPENDIX I.

C) PLATANISTA INDI (INDUS DOLPHIN) - US SHOULD SUPPORT
ADDITION OF THIS SPECIES TO APPENDIX I, NOT II. THE REASON

IS THE SAME AS FOR "B" ABOVE.

D) DELPHINAPTERUS LEUCAS (BELUGA OR WHITE WHALE) --
US SHOULD NOT SUPPORT ADDITION TO EITHER APPENDIX I OR II.
THIS WHALE IS NOT CONSIDERED TO BE THREATENED AND TRADE IS
LIGHT.

E) HYPEROODON AMPULLATUS (NORTHERN BOTTLE-NOSE WHALE)--
SAME AS "D" ABOVE.

F) MONODON MONOCEROS (NARWHAL) -- US SHOULD SUPPORT
CONTINUATION OF THIS SPECIES ON APPENDIX II.

G) PHOCOENA PHOCOENA (COMMON PORPOISE) -- US SHOULD NOT
SUPPORT LISTING OF THE WHOLE SPECIES.

3. ALTHOUGH UK DID NOT PROPOSE IT, IWC PROPOSED LISTING
PHOCOENA SINUS (FORMERLY COCHITO) ON APPENDIX II. US SHOULD
SUPPORT THIS LISTING ON BASIS OF IWC SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE
RECOMMENDATION IN ORDER TO COMPLETE NEEDED AND WARRANTED
LISTING OF SMALL CETACEANS ON CONVENTION APPENDICES. VANCE

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